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For: **Input Inrush Current Control And/Or Output Short-Circuit Control To A Boost Converter In A Power Supply**

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